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4. (First Time Amended) A substantially pure polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or 2, with up to 50 conservative amino acid substitutions, wherein the polypeptide contains a PDZ domain sequence.

5. (First Time Amended) A substantially pure polypeptide encoded by a nucleic acid that hybridizes under high stringency conditions to a probe the sequence of which consists of SEQ ID NO:3, 59, 75, 78, 79,80, or 81, wherein the polypeptide contains a PDZ domain sequence.